

**DELITE THEATER**

—TODAY—

Another thrilling Western drama,  
"The Zero Hour," with Lester Cuno  
and "Please Arrest Me" Money  
Banks Comedy

WEDNESDAY "The Oregon Trail"  
Also Leo Maloney in "One Jump  
Ahead," and "Green as Grass"  
Great Comedy

**REAP WHAT SOWED  
EVANGELIST WARNS**

Earnest Discourse Is  
Given By Speaker  
At Tabernacle

**TENT FILLED TO  
HEAR ADDRESS**

"Trial Of Jesus" Will  
Be Subject Tonight  
At The Revival

**Announcements**  
5 p.m. Young Woman's meeting.  
7:30 p.m. Song service followed  
by sermon, subject "The Trial of  
Jesus from a Legal Standpoint."  
The Bar Association invited to sit  
as a jury.

Mother's leave your babies at  
the Y. M. C. A. Nursery.

The large tabernacle was filled to  
overflowing Sunday night when Evan-  
gelist Ham spoke from the text Gal-  
6:7 "Be not deceived, God is not mock-  
ed, whatsoever a man soweth shall  
he also reap."

"There is a universal law that  
everything brings forth after its kind.  
Who soweth into the field of the  
flesh shall reap corruption, who so-  
weth into the field of the Spirit shall  
of the Spirit reap life everlasting.  
Many people are deceived as they think  
they are sowing to the Spirit when  
they are not."

A certain Sunday school superin-  
tendent advocated open bar rooms as  
preferable to blind tigers when a year  
later his own son cut the throat of the  
bar maid. The reaping will be until  
the day of death. He that covereth his  
sin shall not prosper. Sin in the night  
shall bloom in the day. A man took  
young man into sin, introduced him.  
The young man married his daughter and he  
reaped an abundant harvest of  
the results of that night of sin."

**The Reaping Is With Great Increase**

"In one of our meetings 38 infidels  
were converted in one family. These  
were traced back to one man four  
generations back. Read the history of  
the Kings and you will find that the  
family of bad kings disappear in four  
generations. David committed adul-  
tery and murder and, in his old age, he  
reaped a terrible harvest of the same  
sins among his own sons and daugh-  
ters. Jacob deceived and reaped a  
thousand fold. If Jacob and David did  
not escape will you?"

In Danville, Va., Sam Jones tried  
to get a merchant to line up against  
the saloon "no" he said, I have a wife  
and a daughter, I nor they will drink." But  
soon after that a train was wrecked  
by a drunken engineer and both  
wife and daughter were killed. The  
biggest mistake business men ever do  
is not to support spiritual work. Take  
the churches out of this town and your  
business will go to ruin. God holds you  
responsible for everything you do.  
When your boy and girl go wrong it's  
your harvest. When you find you have  
married a woman of your own stripe  
you are reaping your harvest. If you  
visit other men's wives are you sur-  
prised that your wife received the  
attention of other women's husbands?

"Belgian rubber hunters drove and  
persecuted and ravished the natives in  
the Congo to make them bring in more  
rubber and German soldiers ravished  
the women and deported her men to  
make guns to shoot down their own  
people. The harvest is certainly com-  
ing, you'll reap whatever you sow." America  
is importing infidels to teach in  
our schools. What will America's  
harvest be?"

Two thirteen year old girls were ar-  
rested and jailed from the school room.  
The mother had gone to every dance  
and had kept them under her eyes but  
one had made dates with fourteen boys  
and had stolen out while mother slept.  
Mother reaped what she sowed. A son  
was arrested as a prominent family  
sat at dinner. The mother was frantic  
and said "son you have been gambling  
and now you are arrested for embez-  
zlement." Yes he said "and you taught  
me to play cards right here. It's  
your fault."

**COTTON MARKET**  
(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Sept. 11—Cotton fu-  
tures opened steady, October 27:70;  
December 27:38; January 27:03; March  
27:05; May 27:07.

Defied Mustapha Kemal At  
Point Of Pistol



RAYMOND MOREMAN

Raymond Moreman, a young Po-  
mona (Cal.) Near East Relief Worker,  
standing under an American flag,  
drew his revolver and dared Musta-  
phat leader, to enter the former  
palace of the Greek Premier, Venze-  
phat Memel Pasha, the Turkish Na-  
los, at Boudja, a suburb of Smyrna,  
where 400 Greek orphans had been  
housed by the American relief workers.  
He got away with his bluff.

**HEALTH REPORT IS  
MADE FOR AUGUST**

The report for the Morgan County  
Health Department for the month  
ending August 31st as made to the  
county board of revenue by Dr. H. C.  
McRee at its meeting Monday after-  
noon is as follows.

**Educational**  
Total lectures delivered 0, attendance  
0, public 0, letters sent 289, school  
0, pamphlets 0, special 0, newspaper  
articles 17, personal conferences 469,  
posters 2.

**School Work**  
Schools visited 0, latrines built at  
school 0, children examined 0, num-  
ber defective 0, defects remedied 132.

**Soil Pollution Work.**  
Total latrines built 10, towns 6, ru-  
ral districts 4, septic tanks 0, bucket  
and box 0, pits 4, sewer connections  
..., intestinal parasite examinations 53  
positive 14, negative 39.

**Quarantine Work.**

Total cases reported 27, quarantined  
0, visited 27, diseases and number of  
each, typhoid fever 9, hook worm 5,  
syphilis 4, whooping cough 1, diphtheria  
5, tuberculosis 2, gonorrhoea 1,  
smallpox vaccinations 0, typhoid in-  
cubations 572.

**Inspections**

Premises 35, schools 0, churches 0,  
markets, stores, etc. 57, special in-  
spection 28.

**Malaria Control Work.**

Yards ditching (A) 0 (B) 0 (C) 0  
yards cleaning 200, yards clearing 150  
yards oiling 500, ponds stocked with  
minnows 0.

**Miscellaneous**

Water connections 2, wells improved  
9, springs improved 0, milk examina-  
tions 0, milk supplies radically im-  
proved 0, water examinations 0, miles  
travelled 1133, homes visited by nurse  
40, child welfare 31, infant welfare  
9, others 0, houses screened 3, nu-  
ances abated 11, talks to groups of  
people, by nurse 0, by sanitary in-  
spector 14, special conferences, im-  
munized 28 children against diphtheria.

Other activities, remarks, gave 8  
doses intravenous quinine for malaria  
584 laboratory examinations, 15 ve-  
nereal disease cases continuing treat-  
ment from July, 10 new cases admitted  
total treated 25, cases examined found  
non venereal 25 treatments adminis-  
tered 148.

**Service Station To  
Be Opened Locally**

The Wiley Electric Service Station  
is the latest establishment to announce  
a local opening. Mr. Wiley was here  
today and announced that his firm  
shortly will erect a handsome station  
on First Avenue opposite the H. and  
H. Machine shop.

The firm now operates in Greenville,  
Miss., and will retain a plant there,  
but Mr. Wiley declared the local op-  
portunities appeared so inviting, he  
decided to open a second plant here.

**DECISION ON MERGER  
CASE DUE THURSDAY**

Hearings Terminated  
Last Night After  
Godbey Speech

**AUTHORITIES ARE  
CITED IN THE CASE**

Night Session Is Held  
To Enable Court To  
Finish The Case

The hearing on the quo warranto  
proceedings brought in connection  
with the Patterson merger bills, was  
terminated last night between nine  
and ten o'clock when Judge James E.  
Horton, who began the hearing at 8:30  
o'clock Monday morning, announced  
that the court would adjourn and that  
on Thursday at 8:30 o'clock a. m. he  
would call those together who are in-  
terested in the hearing.

It is presumed that on Thursday  
morning Judge Horton will announce  
his conclusions as to the constitution-  
ality of the merger bill.

The last of the attorneys to appear  
in the noted case was E. W. Godbey,  
whose brief was a comprehensive recita-  
tion of the legal points involved in  
case as interpreted by that able law-  
yer.

The hearing last night was held be-  
cause attorneys had not completed  
their arguments during the hours set  
for the court during yesterday af-  
ternoon. The hearings of the afternoons  
lasted much longer than is usual-  
ly the case, it being almost dark and  
well after six o'clock, when Judge Hori-  
ton delayed the speech of Attorney  
Harris, with the statement that sup-  
per time had arrived.

Mills was in court, however, when  
his name was called.

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flogging.

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the names of witnesses, among said to  
be character witnesses, among them  
ministers.

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posed of 12 men who swore under oath  
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the Ku Klux Klan, that they had  
never made application for membership.  
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each witness, over the objection of  
defense attorneys. A total of 23  
witnesses were examined.

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attention of the court to his statement  
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of the unconstitutionality of the bill  
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unconstitutional.

Col. Tenny Tidwell followed Mr.  
Yester. This attorney as well as his  
colleagues made an exhaustive state-  
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**NAMES OF CANDIDATES IN  
DAILY'S CONTEST OUT SOON**

Entries Coming In And Interest Is Gaining Mo-  
ment As People Reflect Opportunities To  
Secure Handsome Cars And Other Prizes By  
Personal Effort—Everyone Is Paid For Their  
Time.

Thursday evening, according to the  
present plan of the campaign manager  
of The Decatur Daily will be pub-  
lished for the first time the names of  
those people who have already entered  
the great voting contest of this  
newspaper, or have been nominated  
and are being voted for by friends.

The first list to be published will  
show all the entries and votes receiv-

**MACON'S FLOGGING  
CASES ARE BEGUN**

Dr. Yarbrough Is First  
Defendant To Be Put  
On Trial

**WHIPPING BOSS  
IS ALLEGATION**

Many Witnesses Are In  
Court As Hearings  
Begin Tuesday

(By Associated Press)  
MACON, Ga., Sept. 11.—The cases  
of Dr. C. A. Yarbrough, J. E. Blood-  
worth and J. D. Patrick, charged with  
rioting, were called for trial by Soli-  
citor Roy W. Moore, when city court  
convened this morning.

Former Governor Hardwick was  
among the witnesses whose names  
were called.

Dr. Yarbrough has been accused  
of being "The whipping boss" of Ma-  
con. Bloodworth and Patrick, the latter  
being a former deputy sheriff in  
municipal court, are charged in the  
case to be tried today with participat-  
ing in the whipping of J. F. Mills, a  
chiropractor, who since he was flogged  
twice during the year 1922, has moved  
away from Macon.

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**CARBON HILL HIT  
BY BIG FIRE LOSS**

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his neighborhood, E. C. Grier, of  
Valhermosa Springs, stated this morn-  
ing that the crop promised badly, owing  
to the crop ravages of the numer-  
ous cotton pests and the wet weather  
of late. Mr. Grier said he expected  
to see the government report as to  
the number of bales cut down at least  
another 1,000,000 bales.

Students and members of the alum-  
ni association of the Albany high school  
were urged today to attend a meet-  
ing to be held Wednesday evening at  
7:30 o'clock in the rooms of the cham-  
ber of commerce, when plans for the  
school year, with particular refer-  
ence to the athletic program, will be  
discussed. Members of the Parent-  
Teachers association also were invited  
to attend the meeting.

MEET WEDNESDAY  
TO DISCUSS SCHOOL

Valhermosa Man  
Says Crops Short

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WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE  
OF HENRY FORD'S BID  
FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.

"Some are born great," but the fact will never  
be known unless they are trained.

Just as Christmas is coming so will Henry Ford  
and just as many are not ready for Christmas,  
many will not be ready for Henry unless they  
do better.

## WILL THE LEAGUE SURVIVE MUSSOLINI?

Long after the recent dispute between the  
Greeks and the Italians is decided, there will be  
speculation and discussion as to the effect of the  
Italian, Mussolini, upon the League of Nations.  
Nobody would have expected Mussolini to respect  
the league, although his country was a member of  
it, for "no thief e're felt the halter drawn, with a  
good opinion of the law." Force was what made  
Mussolini, the league was set up to do away with  
force as the ruling power among men and nations.  
The league represents the exact antithesis of  
what this modern "Napoleon" stands for.

It will be a sad day for the world when it ap-  
pears, as seems likely, that the usefulness of the  
league has been destroyed. Mussolini will be car-  
ried down before long by the very force that ex-  
alited him, just as sure as there is retribution in  
history. If the Italian were a really great man,  
he might be able to amend the league or to put  
something just as good in its place, but he is  
neither great nor good.

The time may come when Mussolini may wish  
there were a league of peace to protect him from  
his enemies, for unless all signs fail Mussolini will  
prove over again that the man who takes the  
sword will perish by the sword.

Americans who have criticised Mussolini's stand  
against the league have in turn been criticized by  
him because they belong to a country which has  
officially repudiated the League of Nations. And  
this thought makes it clear once more, that if  
Uncle Sam had been standing firmly against  
force, when Mussolini first thought of an aggressive  
war, he would probably never have ordered  
Italian battleships to Corfu.

FIGURES SHOW FRANCE NEEDED TO  
PROTECT HERSELF AGAINST GERMANY.

Announcement was made in press dispatches  
Monday that Germany had ordered the people in  
the territory occupied by Belgian and French sol-  
diers to cease their resistance to the invaders.  
Should the report be confirmed, it is clear the  
French have won the battle of the Rhur. Follow-  
ing this report the following is given as the  
word of a prominent German in Berlin.

"It depends on Premier Poincare now  
whether Germany is saved. If he rejects our  
advances I see no other way out. It  
would mean the most frightful catastrophe  
recorded in the history of nations."

Laying all sentiment aside, the apparent tri-  
umph of the French in their attempt to collect  
war indemnity will be a satisfaction to most peo-  
ple. When it is remembered that unless France  
protected herself, she had no protection, her un-  
usual method of self help will be looked over. Only  
recently an authentic report shows that due to  
the war France has 1,500,000 disabled in the war  
to Germany's 1,537,000. In other words, France  
with a population of only 40,000,000 has practi-  
cally the same number of ineffectives as Ger-  
many which has a population close to 60,000,000.  
Counting 12,000,000 men for Germany in normal  
times, she now has an effective force of 9,000,000  
while from a normal supply of 8,000,000 France  
now has only 5,000,000.

Under such conditions it is not strange that the  
French were fully determined never to give Ger-  
many a chance to come back and reorganize another  
great war.

Take the situation France finds herself in from

another standpoint. The United States had 197,-  
000 wounded, but not totally disabled in the war.  
It cost this country a million dollars a day to care  
for our war ineffectives; but France has to do ten  
times as much for her broken soldiers as this  
country has to do, while we have 110,000,000 to  
do with and France has only 40,000,000 to take  
care of her war veterans. The same source these  
figures came from shows that Italy has 800,000  
men disabled in the war, and Great Britain  
1,170,000.

THE WORLD TO BE CLOSED  
TO THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

There be those who believe King Alcohol will  
be re-enthroned, just as many said they believed  
the armies of the Central Powers would triumph  
in the late war.

Those who believe alcohol will regain its old  
place do not seem to realize the large number of  
enemies arising daily against the deadly poison;  
just as those who believed the armies of autocracy  
would triumph, could not see behind the curtain  
the vast armies of democracy preparing to  
combat the spread of autocracy. The larger the  
area examined in connection with the fight of  
the "drys" against the "wets" the plainer it appears  
the "wets" will be unable to hold their own,  
much less be able to re-enthrone discredited King  
Alcohol. The following from one of the standard  
church weeklies will tend to dampen the hopes of  
those who profess to see the final triumph of  
a wide open world:

"In most places in Europe the conflict is  
just starting, and while the issues seem small  
to the people of a dry nation, the significant  
thing is that the people are at grips with li-  
quor practically everywhere. England has just  
adopted a measure to prevent the sale of li-  
quor to persons under eighteen, and is fighting  
for a local option law; North Ireland re-  
cently enacted the Sunday closing law; Scot-  
land is in the throes of more than 150 local  
option elections. Organized labor in Scot-  
land has taken a strong stand against liquor.  
The Established Church in many places is  
indifferent. Turkey's prohibition law will go  
into effect in the near future according to  
press reports. Belgium is fighting for a  
local option law, and has prohibited the sale  
of spirits in public places. In Bulgaria the  
local option law that went into effect in 1920  
is now being used. In Czechoslovakia the  
sale of liquor is prohibited on election days,  
and spirits cannot be sold to minors under 18,  
nor beer to those under 16. A bill for national  
prohibition is prepared for considera-  
tion at the next assembly. In Estonia and  
Finland a joint commission is established to  
prevent smuggling liquor into Finland.  
France has prohibited absinthe, and an effort  
is now being made to prohibit spirits. Referendum  
straw votes in German factories continue to show a majority for prohibition.  
Local option is their first goal. Holland  
came within one vote of passing a local option  
bill in the last parliament. It is believed it  
will be adopted next year. In Italy the hours  
for sale of liquor are being limited and seri-  
ous attempts are being made to utilize the  
grape industry for other purposes than wine-  
making. Iceland still stands for national  
prohibition, but the indefensible boycott  
against her fish trade by Spain has tempor-  
arily destroyed her law. Poland has prohib-  
ited the sale of liquor to young people, and  
enacted a local option law. Russia continues  
her prohibition against vodka, and all the  
Soviet treaties permit importation of com-  
modities into Russia except "alcoholic liquor, or  
which both the importation and manufacture  
are, or may be prohibited in Russia." Sweden  
failed to carry national prohibition at the  
last election, but continues the fight with  
full confidence of victory. Norway has gov-  
ernment control of liquor. National prohibi-  
tion went into effect in 1921, but France and  
forced her to rescind it under threat of trade  
boycott. Strange to say, her big problem is  
to prevent the smuggling of liquor into the  
country. Norway adopted the ten mile limit  
law recently to prevent smuggling. There is  
a movement under headway to curb, restrict,  
or destroy liquor in practically every nation,  
except possibly Spain and Greece. The foes  
of beverage intoxicants have struck tents and  
are on the march. There will be no retreat  
or halt until there is an unconditional surren-  
der of the liquor forces in every nation. A  
sober world is in sight. Every nation is look-  
ing to our country to see if she will make  
good. The United States is leading the way,  
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## How They Stand

## SOUTHERN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New Orleans	87	50	.635
Mobile	82	60	.577
Birmingham	70	66	.515
Memphis	69	67	.505
Nashville	71	70	.503
Atlanta	70	71	.496
Chattanooga	57	84	.404
Little Rock	47	85	.356

## Yesterday's Results

Atlanta 3, Chattanooga 2.  
Mobile 8, Memphis 1.  
Nashville 8, Birmingham 5.  
Only games scheduled.

## Today's Games

Birmingham at Nashville.  
Atlanta at Chattanooga.  
Little Rock at New Orleans.  
Mobile at Memphis.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	86	44	.661
Cleveland	71	57	.554
Detroit	65	60	.520
Washington	62	67	.481
Chicago	58	69	.457
St. Louis	65	62	.511
Philadelphia	54	71	.422
Boston	49	78	.386

## Yesterday's Results

New York 8, Boston 1.  
Only game played.

## Today's Games

Boston at New York.  
Only game scheduled.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	85	52	.621
Pittsburgh	78	55	.587
Cincinnati	78	56	.582
Chicago	72	62	.537
St. Louis	69	66	.490
Brooklyn	63	67	.485
Boston	44	87	.336
Philadelphia	43	87	.331

## Yesterday's Results

New York 10, Boston 4.  
Pittsburgh 8, Cincinnati 0.  
Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 1.  
Only games scheduled.

## Today's Games

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.  
New York at Boston.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.  
Chicago at St. Louis.

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story window in New York city, and  
barely missed ten persons. There is  
nothing that they won't do to get at the pedestrians.

Coal took a sudden drop the other  
day. A truck loaded with six tons  
broke through a bridge.

Correct this sentence: "Now have  
a good time, dear," said the mother.  
"No matter how badly you soil your  
clothes."

It takes brains to get rich, perhaps,  
but not, obviously to inherit riches.

The farmer with straw in his whiskers  
is less to be pitied than the city  
man with hay fever in his system.

It is fine to have an enthusiasm on  
the job if you have some plodder to  
go over his work and correct his mis-  
takes.

## Voice of People

Editor Daily:

Isn't there an ordinance prohib-  
ing the running of cars and trucks  
muffled? If those who do so cannot  
afford the price of a muffler, some  
should start a "drive" to supply them  
from the "drive" fund. Better if  
the police should enforce the mu-  
ffle ordinance. A sufficient.

G. C. CRAWFO

'BAMA OPENS  
TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Sept. 1  
University of Alabama yester-  
day threw open its doors for r-  
egistration of students for the 1923-24 reg-  
ular scholastic year. The University c-  
ampus is already well dotted with  
dents, new and old.

# Help! Police

We want three armed men to  
guard one of our show windows.  
THURSDAY, FRIDAY  
AND SATURDAY  
September 13, 14, 15, All Day

Must have references and be known to us  
personally. They will be sworn in as extra  
police and will go on duty 9 a.m., off at  
4 p.m.—Saturday 9:30 p.m. Apply at  
once with credentials.



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## Foot Troubles

Most foot troubles are caused by the dislocation of one or more bones  
of the foot. These distortions bring unusual pressure

**POLY AND HER PALS**

**FOR SALE**—The Charlie Harris home is Austinville, with 9 acres of land, 18 acres of land on the Danville Pike near Albany, 2 cows, 1 mule, 2 yearlings, all for \$5,500. Terms to suit. J. A. Thornhill.

**KEEP SMILING**—Some day the sun will shine. Keep going with face forward and you will get there. J. A. Thornhill.

**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE**—Fine Clarinet and case. See W. W. Rahm. 8-3t.

**FOR SALE**—Conn C melody saxophone, nickel finish. Phone Albany 682. 10-3t.

**FOR SALE**—1923 model Chevrolet Touring car and 1917 model Reo six and 1920 model Ford. All in A-1 condition. Hubert Aycock, Phone Decatur 41. 4-6t.

**FOR SALE**—A new Chevrolet 5 passenger touring car at a bargain. Call 98 Decatur during day. 120 W. Decatur in evenings. B. B. Fuqua. 4-6t.

**FOR SALE**—Brand new combination coal and wood range with hot and cold water attached at a sacrifice. Never been fired. Call Albany 365-682.

**FOR SALE**—1113-4th Ave., South, at \$20,000. \$500 cash, balance monthly. Several other bargains in homes. 7 acre farm and home in Albany for \$1,000. J. A. Thornhill.

**FOR SALE**—11 lots back of Gilchrist house in West Albany, between 8th and 9th avenue. Can give possession 1st of year. Write or phone Mrs. Mary P. Littlejohn, Town Creek, Ala. 1-12t.

**FOR SALE**—Standard Sewing machine and an old square piano, the latter will make a fine library table. Phone Albany 46 if interested. 1t.

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**FOR RENT**—Three room apartment located in Bernstein building on Moulton Street. See A. Bernstein for particulars. 4-6t.

**FOR RENT**—To couple only, three nice unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, modern improvements. Apply 422 Johnston street or phone Albany 680. 11-3t.

**FOR RENT**—Three or four rooms unfurnished apartment; bath, sleeping porch, all conveniences. 223 East Church street, phone 232 Decatur. 11-6t.

**LOST OR FOUND**

**TAKEN UP**—One small light yellow cow giving milk. Muly. Owner can have same by paying for expenses of upkeep and advertising. Taken up 9-9-23. Respectfully, Jno. W. Blackburn, 1406, 6th Ave., South 11-1t.

**WANTED**

**WANTED**—One medium size refrigerator, suitable for use in meat market. Must hold 300 to 400 pounds of ice, be in good condition and a bargain. Call 157 Decatur. Carroll Furniture Co. 11-3t.

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**HOMES WANTED**—List your property for sale or rent with us. We have customers wanting homes in all parts of the city. Penney & Whitman, Eyster Building, Albany, Ala. 7-7t.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**MRS. DILLEHAY** will open her private school for girls and boys September 17. Telephone 120-J Decatur. 11-1t.

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**POLY AND HER PALS****And Aunt Maggie Is Some Lily, Too****LOCAL MASON'S WILL WITNESS BIG EVENT****Athens News****PORT ENABLING ACT AGAIN IS DELAYED**

The Secondary Agricultural school of this place opened this morning with a very promising prospect for a great year. Prof. J. M. Atkinson has had charge of the school for several years. He resigned at the end of last session and the board was successful in getting a very fine man to succeed him in the person of Prof. W. G. Johnson of Oklahoma. He has been on the field with his family now for about one month. He has been making many improvements about the college on the campus and buildings. It will look like a new place when all the work begun has been finished.

Prof. Johnson has about him a very excellent faculty this year. Miss Bandi in the department of English, Prof. L. W. Cox in vocational agriculture, Miss Pasely in the department of domestic science, Miss Mildred Brown in department of history, Prof. J. Cradup, Jr. in science and mathematics. There is the spirit of work about every member of the faculty and the new president and the people of the county expect the school to be a great success this year.

More than two hundred pupils were enrolled on the first day and many more are to be enrolled in the next few days. The parents from various parts of the county were in attendance with their girls and boys on the first morning showing their interest in the work of the school. The citizens of Athens turned out in large numbers to the opening exercises. Among the speakers at the opening were: Dr. J. O. Williams, Dr. B. B. Glasgow, Dr. Thos. Meadows, Mayor C. W. Sarver, Hon. Fred Wall, Hon. Edward Goodrich and Col. M. K. Clements.

The First Baptist Church of Athens is now in a great revival meeting. The Pastor, Dr. J. O. Williams, is doing the preaching. The singing is led by Mr. Charles O. Miller of Blacksville, S. C. Miss Rebecca Ramsey of Alex City is presiding at the piano. Great crowds were turned from the church on Sunday night, there not being standing space in the church for all who came.

One of the features of the preliminary exercises of the Sunday evening service was a visit from the members of the local Ku Klux Klan. Thirty-five members dressed in full regalia following the American flag and the flaming cross filed into the church at 8:30 in the evening and handed an envelope to the pastor. A letter was in the envelope which was read to the congregation. A prayer was then offered by the pastor for the work of the Klan. After this the pastor made appropriate remarks and thanked the Klansmen for a purse of \$52.00 new one dollar bills. As the men in regalia began to leave the church, the great chorus sang "Onward Christian Soldiers."

The revival will continue through this week and next week.

**Marry Rich Woman for Comfort.**  
An expert advises that you marry a brilliant woman for success and a pretty woman for happiness. He might have added that you should marry a rich one for comfort.—Milwaukee Journal.

**Unshaken Testimony**

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Decatur. No Decatur resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice told testimony.

Mrs. J. L. Rose, 425 E. Pond Street, Decatur, says: "After I did a hard work, especially washing, my back hurt severely across my kidneys. Mornings I was so stiff and sore, it took a lot of effort to get out of bed. I had seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended and decided to try them. After using Doan's, I had no more of the trouble and I am glad to recommend this remedy to anyone suffering from kidney trouble." (State given March 16, 1914.)

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**Criminal Cases In The Circuit Court**

Following its interruption by the quo warrant proceedings held before Judge Horton, the circuit court resumed regular operations this morning with Judge Horton on the bench.

Owing to the severe illness of his mother Circuit Court Clerk James A. Draper was absent from the court room part of the day.

The records of Mr. Draper were kept in part by Judge William T. Lowe, of the Morgan County Court.

One negro, Earl Orr, charged with the murder of his cousin, Sam Orr, in the central part of the county last year, had pleaded guilty to manslaughter and was sentenced to seven years imprisonment by Judge Horton.

One white man pleaded guilty to violation of the prohibition laws and awaits the sentence of the court.

A large number of jurors have been sworn in to serve at the present term of the circuit court.

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**Mussolini Plans To Annex Fiume**

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Sept. 11.—It is understood from information gathered in reliable sources that Premier Mussolini will proclaim the annexation of Fiume to Italy probably about September 15.

The government of Jugo-Slavia is represented as being aware of Mussolini's intention and is intending to make no serious protest provided Porto Barros and Sussak, adjacent ports are not directly affected.

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## STAR TODAY

"The Love Brand" Roy Stewart's latest starring vehicle for Universal which comes today to the Star theater, has its settings in a country of far horizons.

## NOTICE

The Men's Bible Class of the Central Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to all men to attend its Bible Class every Sunday morning at 9:45 A. M.

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By Edna Wallace Hopper

I made myself a famous beauty, and that beauty brought me glory. I have kept that beauty to a grand old age. After 40 years in the limelight, I still look like a girl of 19.

These facts are due to helps I found through years of world-wide searching. They are, I believe, the best beauty helps in existence. No one I know has, in other ways, attained any like results.

So I have had these helps prepared and placed where all may get them. And I hope to see them bring to millions the benefits I get.

## Just Four Will Do

These beauty helps comprise 32 different factors. But great experts have combined them in four preparations. And all are sold at modest prices which every girl and woman can afford.

One is my White Youth Clay. A clean, refined clay, vastly more efficient than ordinary clays. A clay perfected by French experts through 20 years of scientific study.

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## SOCIAL CALENDAR

Central M. E. Missionary Society 3 p. m. Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. J. Rose, hostesses at the home of Mrs. Nicholson.

W. M. U. of the Central Baptist church. 3 p. m. Mrs. C. T. Sewell, 407 West Moulton street.

## THURSDAY

Rook Club. Miss Clara Berry Hunt.

## FRIDAY

Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. F. S. Hunt.

## BRIDGE PARTY FOR MRS. LONG.

Mrs. William Wyker is entertaining at bridge this afternoon for her sister, Mrs. Mahlon Long, of Pulaski, Tenn.

## A GIFTED STRANGER.

Mrs. E. M. Espy, formerly of Augusta, Ga., is now a resident of our city. Mrs. Espy while being a platform speaker and a gifted playwright has always been prominently connected with civic work, club efforts and all activities of women. Her every cooperation in war work brought forth encomiums of praise from both the Atlanta and Birmingham papers. Mr. and Mrs. Espy are pleasantly located with Mrs. C. W. Gover on Grant street.

Rev. and Mrs. Wasson, of Athens Ga., are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McGehee enroute home from Knoxville, Tenn., where their son entered school this year.

Miss Eleanor Ramage will leave on the Twenty-sixth to enter Goucher College in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Kimball Jones will return home on Saturday from Weaverville, N. C. Her many friends will be glad to know that her eye is very much improved.

Mrs. C. A. Dunavant and daughter Pauline and Anna, of Monroe, La., are visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. E. R. Sumpter, Mrs. Mahlon Long and Mahlon, Jr., of Pulaski, Tenn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Wyker.

## MRS. LONG TO BE HONOREE.

Mrs. Mahlon Long will be the honoree at a bridge party given Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. William Voorhies.

Miss Hazel Wells of Tuscaloosa, is visiting friends here.

Miss Elizabeth Morris, of Birmingham, has returned home after a visit to Miss Lucille Giles.

Miss Agnes Giles has returned from a visit to relatives in Fayetteville, Tenn.

Miss Marguerite Reuter, of Birmingham, has returned home after a visit in the home of Mrs. Henry Pappenberg.

Mrs. C. L. Sartor and baby, who have been visiting since June in Michigan, are now visiting in Cincinnati, Ohio, and they are expected home on Thursday.

Rev and Mrs. C. H. Woodruff have returned from Tennessee and Kentucky where they spent the past two months.

Mrs. Edna McMillan, Miss Mildred Wilder, and Miss Tyna Hamlin will leave Monday for Florence to enter Florence Normal College.

Miss Marguerite Pappenberg will leave this week to visit Mrs. Reuter in Birmingham.

Mrs. R. H. Bothany, who has been ill with appendicitis at the home of her mother, Mrs. N. Pappenberg, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones returned home Saturday from an extended trip in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mosley, Jr., have moved to 809 Oak street.

Miss Frances Himes left yesterday for Chicago, Ill., where she will enter the National Kindergarten and Elementary College, to take a special course in Kindergarten work.

Among the boys who left last night and who are leaving tonight for Tuscaloosa to be at the University this year are Robin Thomas, Eugene Bailey, Jackson Calvin, Wesley Holland, Walter Morris, Frank Callahan, Perry Henderson, Eugene Russell and Bryan McAfee.

Miss Mary Jervis will leave tonight for Agnes Scott College where she will attend school this year.

Miss Lorene Henderson left this morning to resume her studies at Woman's College.

Miss Thelma Chenault will leave Wednesday morning to re-enter Judson College at Marion, Ala.

Miss Margaret Speake left yesterday for Athens where she will be a student at Athens Female College.

Ferrow Himes will leave the latter part of the month to enter Vanderbilt College in Nashville.

Miss Graemie Chenault, who has been visiting in Birmingham, is now the guest of friends in Emory, Miss., and she is expected home on Thursday.

## Names Of Candidates In The Daily Contest

(Continued from page 1.)

interest and momentum. A great many entries have been received from every corner of the city and nearby territory, which fact testifies to the great interest in the popularity of this campaign. Those people who have been thinking of entering the contest should send in their entries and receive the free supplies in the way of book, voter, sheets, etc., as the campaign only lasts nine weeks, closing on November 17 promptly at 8 o'clock.

The great value of the prizes and the large number of prizes have proven very attractive indeed, and the ease with which they have may be won has induced many people to get into the campaign.

There are a great many features of this campaign that especially commend themselves to the public. Of all the new features, probably the one that insures everyone of either winning a prize or being paid for their time, is the most popular of all. As has already been announced everyone who takes part in the campaign and makes an effort will receive a cash commission of 10 per cent at the close of the contest if they do not win one of the regular awards. Many people have entered the campaign for the cash commission alone. Many ladies who are tied up at home have entered the campaign with this commission in mind as a means of making some extra spending money for themselves to be earned from day to day during the hours they have away from their household duties.

One gentleman yesterday wanted to know if anyone could spend any money to win. There is now, and never will be, but one answer to this question—and that answer is "No—positively no." No one will be allowed to spend a single penny to win any of the prizes under any circumstances. This campaign is not a poker game, nor a horse race. It is simply a sales campaign, a campaign of expansion, if you please. All that The Daily wants is the increased circulation that this campaign will bring. This campaign is not put on with the idea of raising a lot of money. It is the circulation that The Daily is after, and nothing else. So no questionable tactics will be tolerated by the campaign management from anybody. If there are any who have entered the campaign with the idea of buying their way through, or by using money to win a prize, the campaign management advises them now that they should withdraw. For, just the minute any suggestion of their irregularity appears, or any suggestion of money being spent not according to the rules, such candidate will, upon proof, be ejected from the contest, and all votes of such candidate cancelled.

This is going to be a fair and square campaign, with winners those who have done the real work and who secure the most votes, regardless of everything else. The campaign will close just as has been announced and the prizes will be awarded just as announced. This is no "monkey business" contest, so there is nothing under the sun for anyone to worry about except where each, individually, has ambition enough to get an and secure a valuable prize for themselves by just voting for themselves during the next nine weeks. If you have the ambition send in your name to the campaign manager at once, P. O. Box 572, or call 46 and ask for The Campaign Manager.

**Local Youth Now : A Lay Reader**

Dr. T. G. Mundy, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, on Sunday read the license granted by Bishop Coadjutor McDowell to J. Q. Sewell, Jr., to become a Lay Reader in the Episcopal church to his congregation and in the presence of Mr. Sewell.

Rev. Mundy then installed the young Lay Reader, who is later to enter the regular ministry of the Episcopal church.

Mr. Sewell is well and favorably known here having been born and reared in the city. He has been away on business for some time at Birmingham. Dr. Mundy stated that Mr. Sewell was here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Sewell, and would finish his high school course here this year.

Next year it is planned for young Sewell to enter Sewanee University, where he will take an academic course and later the regular theological course of his church.

## Moulton Heights School Is Opened

Announcement was made this morning of the opening of the Moulton Heights public school Monday morning. The principal is Prof. P. E. Burleson of Hartselle, who has been the popular principal of that school for some years. A number of the many teachers of this school reside in Decatur. There are about 175 students enrolled.

## Baptists Prepare For Centennial

(Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 11—Baptists of Montgomery are beginning preparations for the centennial celebration of the denomination in Alabama that is to be held here early in November.

According to officials of the state Baptist association here, hundreds of delegates, representative of every county in the state are expected to come to Montgomery for the three day celebration.

The sessions will be held in the First Baptist church of the city, while various program numbers call for sessions in other parts of the city. Dr. Sept 11-1 mo.

Charles A. Stakeley, pastor of the First Baptist church in directing the affairs looking toward having the church suitable for the convention while D. F. Green of the state Baptist association is also in charge of the plans for the 100th anniversary occasion. Definite plans and the program in full will be announced during the next few days.

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Don't take chances! Use a reliable brand of baking powder and plain flour. Then you will be sure of healthful bakes that are easily digested.

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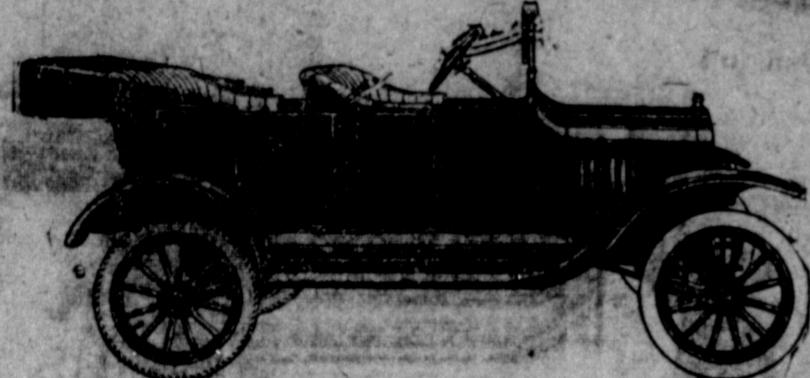
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ALL VOTES ARE FREE

All of the prizes listed on this page, will be given away absolutely without cost, to the people who secure the most votes for themselves up to the closing date. There are no strings attached to any of these prizes in any way. All votes are free, and anyone of good reputation may enter and take part. There are two ways of securing votes. One by clipping them from each issue of THE DECATUR DAILY, and by having your friends save them for you too, and by securing paid subscriptions to THE DECATUR DAILY. Every contestant is entitled to free supplies, that is receipt books, vote sheets, etc. The contest is a straight business proposition—there are not nor will there be any undesirable features—every one will be treated fairly and squarely. Everyone will have the same opportunity of winning any of the prizes listed on this page. No money or other special influences can in any way effect the winning of any prize. All that you need is the ambition to use your spare time securing votes and subscriptions. If you have the energy, the Big Buick Four Touring, the first prize can be yours.

NOTICE—Contest officially opens September 15th and ends November 17 at 8:00 o'clock. This first week will be known as publicity week although anyone can enter this week, the earlier the better.

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Wicker Floor Lamp  
Purchased of and on exhibition at Cook Bros. Furniture Co.

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\$65.00

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Purchased of and on exhibition at James A. Nelson, Jeweler, Decatur

9th Prize  
\$47.50

Wardrobe Trunk

Purchased of and on exhibition at Talley Furniture Co., Bank Street

10th Prize  
\$40.00

Men's Suits

Purchased of and on exhibition at Ory-Cohen, Albany

11th Prize  
\$40.00

Ladies Dress or Coat

Purchased of and on exhibition at Matlock's Cash Store, Albany

12th Prize  
\$28.00

Breakfast Set

Purchased of and on exhibition at Morgan Furniture Co., Albany

13th Prize  
\$20.00

Ladies Wrist Watch

Purchased of and on exhibition at James A. Nelson, Jeweler, Decatur

14th Prize  
\$17.00

Electric Floor Lamp

Purchased of and on exhibition at McGehee Furniture Co., Decatur

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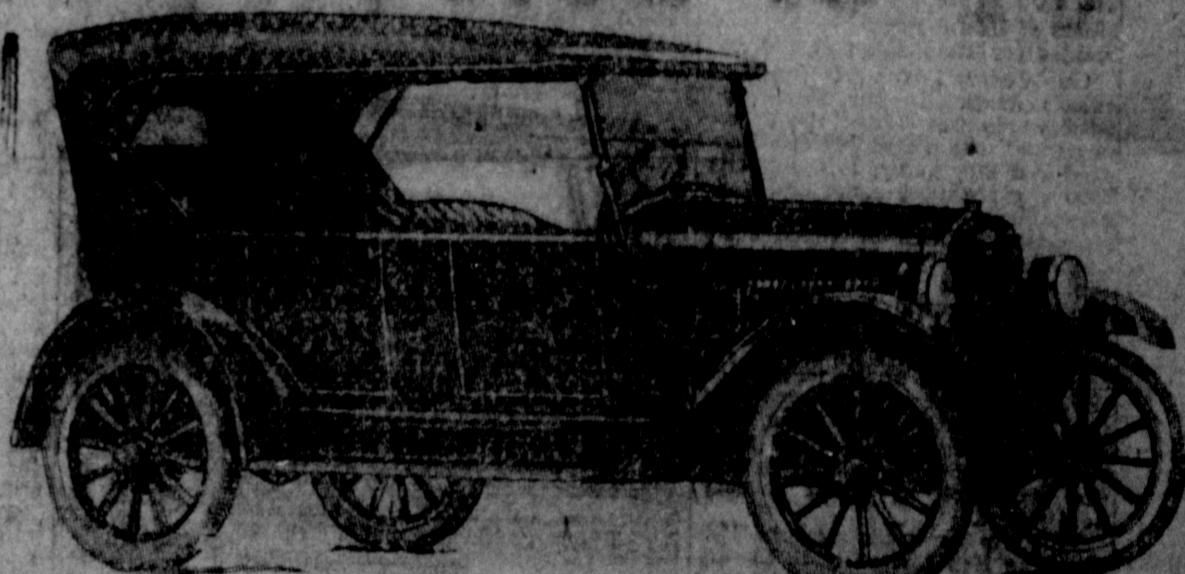
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# Crows Destroy Thousands of Game Birds

**Noted Ornithologist of West Chester Pa., Finds Marsh Hens, Rail Birds, Quail, and Others Among Their Victims. 2500 Egg Shells under 5 Crows' Nests.**

By Dr. B. H. WARREN

CROWS are doing an incalculable amount of damage in the rich game territories of the eastern shore of Virginia. They are destroying thousands of the young eggs of game birds, including the black (wild) duck, clapper rails, or marsh hens, king and Virginia rails, willet, a larger species of shore birds, quail, and many kinds of birds. They also kill young rabbits and are a constant menace to poultry, devouring the eggs and young.

Recently I visited Assateague, Chincoteague, Revells, Cedar, Mockhorn, Palmers Beach, Owls Bluff, Wallop's and Hog Islands, and numerous marshes about these islands. I also visited Palmer's Point, a narrow strip connected with the main land near Watchapreague. These islands are tidal islands located from a mile and a half to eight miles from the mainland. They abound in game. The marshes are the favorite nesting places for clapper rails or mud hen. On many of the marshes black ducks breed plentifully.

**More Useful Birds Raided for Their Eggs**

On Cedar Island, I found 5 crow's nests. In an hour and twenty minutes under these five nests and within a radius of a hundred and fifty yards, I found fully 2500 egg shells of game and non-game birds which had been eaten by crows. Three of these nests contained young. Under one of the low cedar trees where there were two crows' nests, one of which contained four young almost ready to fly, I picked up 197 eggs at the base of the tree which covered a space of not more than four feet square. They were piled up. These egg shells were practically all those of mud hens with the exception of about twenty heron eggs.

This trip was made on June 2d. On June 19th I went back to this island and found seven additional crow's nests, from all of which the young had departed. But under the same tree, containing the two nests which we found on our first visit, and at the bottom of which were 167 eggs, we found 125 more eggs, with at least 150 more in a radius of twenty-five yards from that



Crows' nest on Virginia coast full of shells of eggs stolen from game birds' nests. 53 egg shells were in the nest, 127 eggs of game birds were on ground under tree.



Dr. B. H. Warren examining birds' eggs destroyed by crows, at Revell's Island, Va.

eggs, with some eggs of domestic fowls. Under one nest which contained eggs I found 67 egg shells with an abundance of remains of egg shells and some remains of birds. Under various trees, within a radius of a mile from these nests, scattered about over the island and along the marshes where the mud hens breed, I picked up 203 egg-

evidence of the predatory and destructive habits of the crow. We visited a part of this island which evidently was not frequented by human beings in the spring and summer season. We detected egg shells broken by crows everywhere. In one place 150 broken egg shells were found under bushes close to woods near salt water marsh. At another place, the nest of a fish crow was located in a large pine tree fully forty feet above the ground. The young had recently left the nest. Twenty-five egg shells and many fragments of egg shells, mostly those of the clapper rail and gulls, were found in a tree or the tree two or three feet away. On the ground all around the tree were shells of eggs of a great number of birds, some still recognizable, others, and several small non-game birds. There were fully 300 eggs under and about this tree.

**Best Time to Attack Crows During Nesting Season**

It is evident to any thoughtful person that to preserve game for future generations, it is highly essential that we should establish sanctuaries where game will propagate and be protected from natural enemies. The islands visited are largely owned or controlled by sportsmen's clubs and their keepers have learned from experience to destroy depredating birds and other animals which prey upon the different kinds of game. On islands

Meadow lark nest. Crows drove the old birds away and destroyed the eggs.



Shells of clapper rail eggs dropped from crows' nest after feeding young

Crows Also Attacked and Killed Young Birds

On a remote section of Wallop's Island, which is probably two and a half miles from the mainland and five miles south of Chincoteague, I found five crows' nests, three of which contained young and two of which contained eggs. Under the nest containing four young nearly ready to fly, I picked up 32 egg shells, most of which were those of clapper rails. Possibly a dozen or fifteen were shells of eggs of chicken and tame ducks. The remains of at least three black (wild) ducks, king or big red rail were also found, and Virginia rail. Among non-game birds, eggshells in this bunch were those of meadow lark, killdeer, red winged blackbirds, a warbler, two kinds of marsh inhabiting sparrow, mourning dove, great bittern, green herons and boat-tailed grackles. In addition, there were found the remains of a number of birds, such as young black-coated rails, young herons, several small birds of the sparrow family, young meadow larks, and portions of young chickens.

Woodcock killed by crow



More than 1000 egg shells and remains of birds collected under five nests of crows at Cedar Island, Va.

Under another nest with young, shells, all of which had been eaten by crows. On Revell's Island we also found

where natives rear domestic fowls they have learned that to safeguard the inhabitants of their poultry yards, they must destroy vermin and they regularly go out and shoot the crows and their nests. Experience has taught them that it is best to shoot into the crows' nests before they have young, since it is at this period these argus-eyed robbers are most destructive.

tree. We had cleaned up the previous eggs, so that the number of new shells showed how voracious the crows were.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Griggs a 6 pound girl, on September 9th, 1109, 4th Avenue, South.

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## New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, Sept. 11—Luxurious homes may mean considerable to human beings but they don't count much against affection with a dog. Louis Amato has spent most of his vacation so far looking for his Boston bull, named "Ritzie." The other day he vowed he had found him, although Peter Taslin explained the dog was his, that its name was "Nickie," and that he had paid ten dollars for him. "Nickie" had all of the luxuries which could accrue to the life of a dog, under Mr. Haslin's ownership. But thirteen year-old Louis went to court to prove his claim. A wise and human judge let the contestants take their places on opposite sides of the courtroom. "Here, Nickie, Nickie," called Haslin at the top of his voice. "Hey, Ritzie, old kid," said Louis, and gave a sharp whistle. In one ecstatic jump, the dog was at Louis' side. Haslin didn't even get a glance. "Ritzie" left the room bounding at the boy's side, ease and beefsteak scorned completely.

Politics may be touted as a wearing occupation or even a vocation. But John D. Voorhies, for half a century a Tammany leader in municipal politics, and Commissioner of Elections, celebrated his ninety-fourth birthday by cutting down his regular full-length working day to three hours, and that is the closest approach to a vacation he has taken in 31 years.

Sticks became so common an accessory of woman's costume that the novelty seekers have abandoned them in favor of an attenuated H made of light wood, upon the cross-section of which sits their pet parrot or cockatoo. I saw one on Fifth avenue yesterday and it was impressive even if a bit cumbersome in crowded traffic. The bird appeared quite comfortable and at home, however.

The Nugent family has held the theatrical boards for years; first as vaudeville players, then in the legitimate, but now in no uncertain ways as writers. "Kempy" was their successful product last year. Their next offering, written and in the main acted by the family, will be "The Dumb-Bell". No agreement can be reached as to just which one or ones wrote the latest play, but sufficient that it involves, J. C. Nugent, the father Elliott, a nice young son, and the two daughters, Norma and Ruth. Their long experience has taught them what the public wants, as evidenced in "Kempy". Hence the interest in the new one.

Mrs. George Leitz, of Yonkers, is going to Europe on her wedding trip even if it's golden wedding time before the various nations of the world straighten out her passport. Mrs. Leitz married a subject of Tripoli, in 1922, when Trieste was an Austria province. By marrying an alien she lost her American citizenship, as the law permitting a married woman to keep her own citizenship rights even though married to an alien did not pass until several weeks after the wedding. Now, when her husband did become a citizen shortly after that, the law had passed and consequently, she was still an Austrian, because a woman's citizenship under the new law did not change with her husband's. Then she had to file ads.

**CHILD DIES**

Funeral services for Christine, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus J. Nichols, of Madisonville, Ky., will be conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of R. E. Messer, 315, West, with interment in the city cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols formerly lived here.

**Unnecessarily Alarmed.**

I had been bathing my baby daughter and went into the hall a moment. When I returned I was horror-stricken to see gruesome red streaks over her face and body, and even the water was partly colored. She had reached out and snatched her rag doll, which was dressed in a scarlet frock that was losing fast its fast color.—Chicago Journal.

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